

Liquids and Solids



Kinetic Molecular Theory

☞ Mostly applied to gases

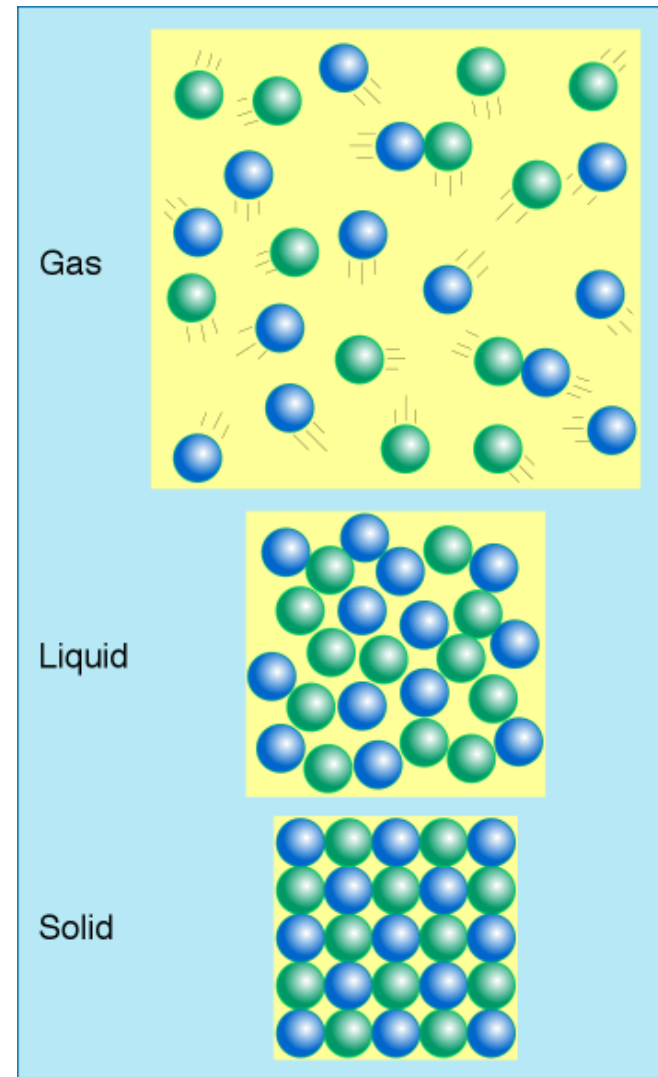
☞ Four postulates:

- The volume of the individual particles of a gas can be assumed to be negligible.
- The gas particles are in constant motion. The pressure exerted by the gas is due to the collisions of the gases with the walls of the container.
- The average kinetic energy of a gas is directly proportional to the Kelvin temperature
- The gases are not attracted to one another.

☞ Changes slightly for liquids and solids

Kinetic Molecular Theory

- ∞ Gases—Attractions are insignificant
- ∞ Liquids—Attractions are more important leading to a more ordered state
- ∞ Solids—Attractions are most important with an ordered state



Intramolecular vs. Intermolecular Forces

Intramolecular Forces



Ionic bond



Covalent bond

Intermolecular Forces



Hydrogen bonding



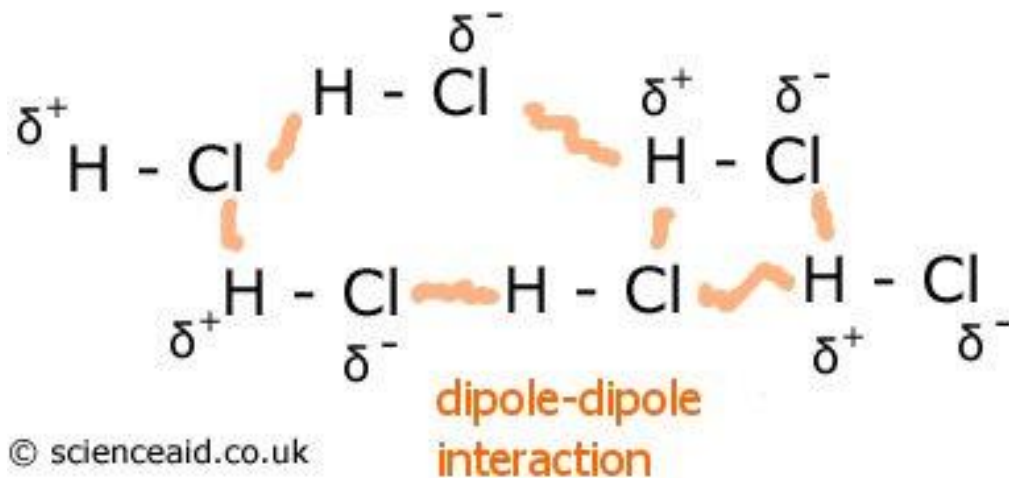
Dipole-dipole



London dispersion

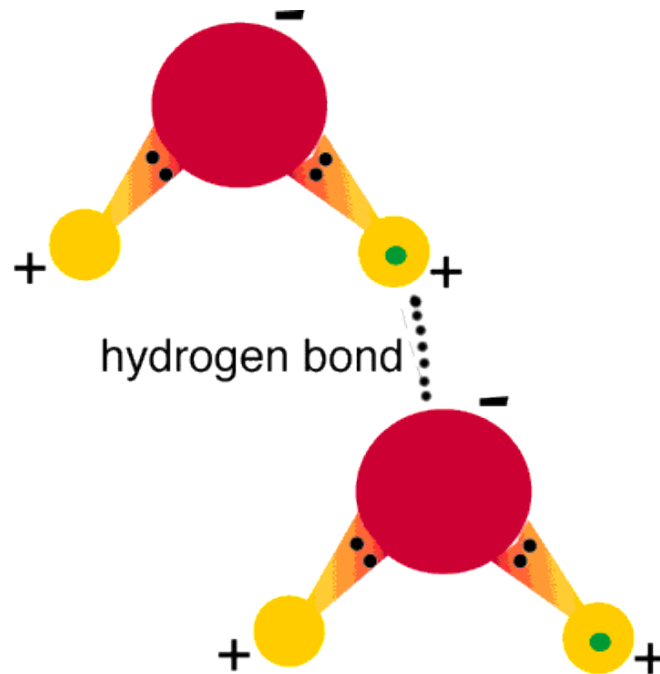
Dipole-dipole Attractions

- ∞ Attraction between dipoles
 - Dipole = partial positive and partial negative portion of a molecule due to difference in electronegativity
- ∞ Partial positive portions line up with partial negative portions
- ∞ Leads to higher boiling points
- ∞ Example: SO_2



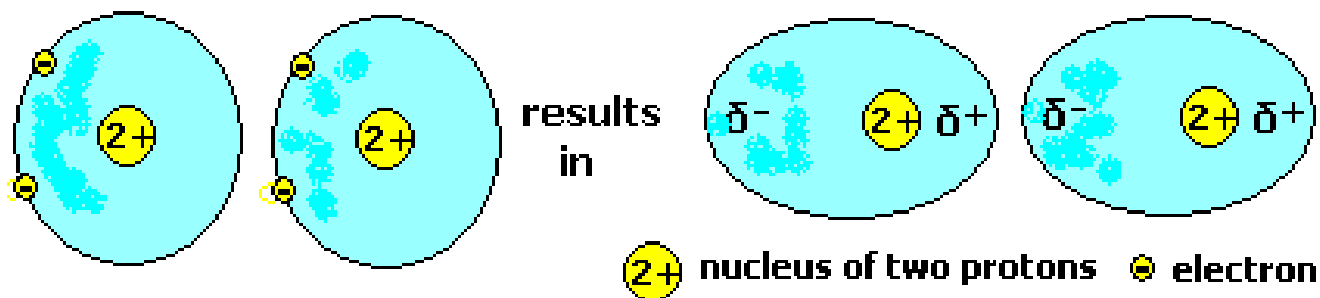
Hydrogen Bonding

- Unusually strong dipole-dipole attraction involving hydrogen
 - Occurs between hydrogen bonded to nitrogen, oxygen, or fluorine
- Example: H_2O , NH_3 , and HF



London Dispersion Forces

- Found in all molecules
- Temporary shift in electron cloud, creating 'momentary dipole'
- Larger atomic number and electron cloud creates a larger 'momentary dipole'
- Explains common state of matter for different elements
 - F_2 and Cl_2 (gas), Br_2 (liquid), I_2 (solid)



Properties of Liquids

∞ Surface Tension

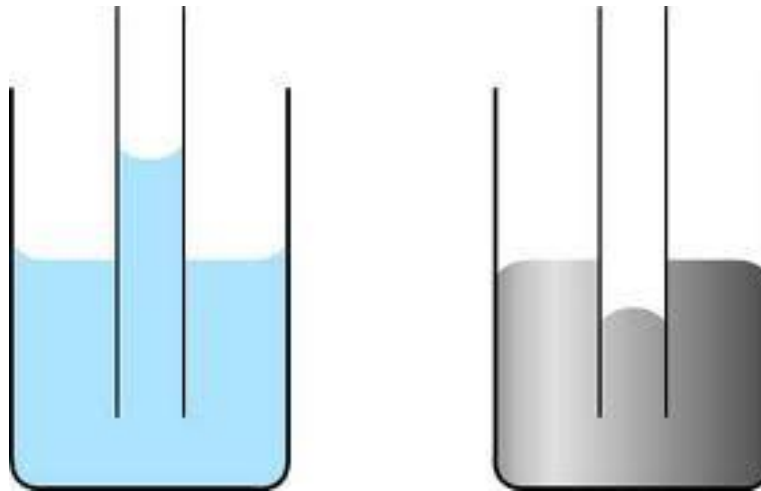
- The resistance of a liquid to increase its surface area
- Strong intermolecular forces = high surface tension



Properties of Liquids

Capillary Action

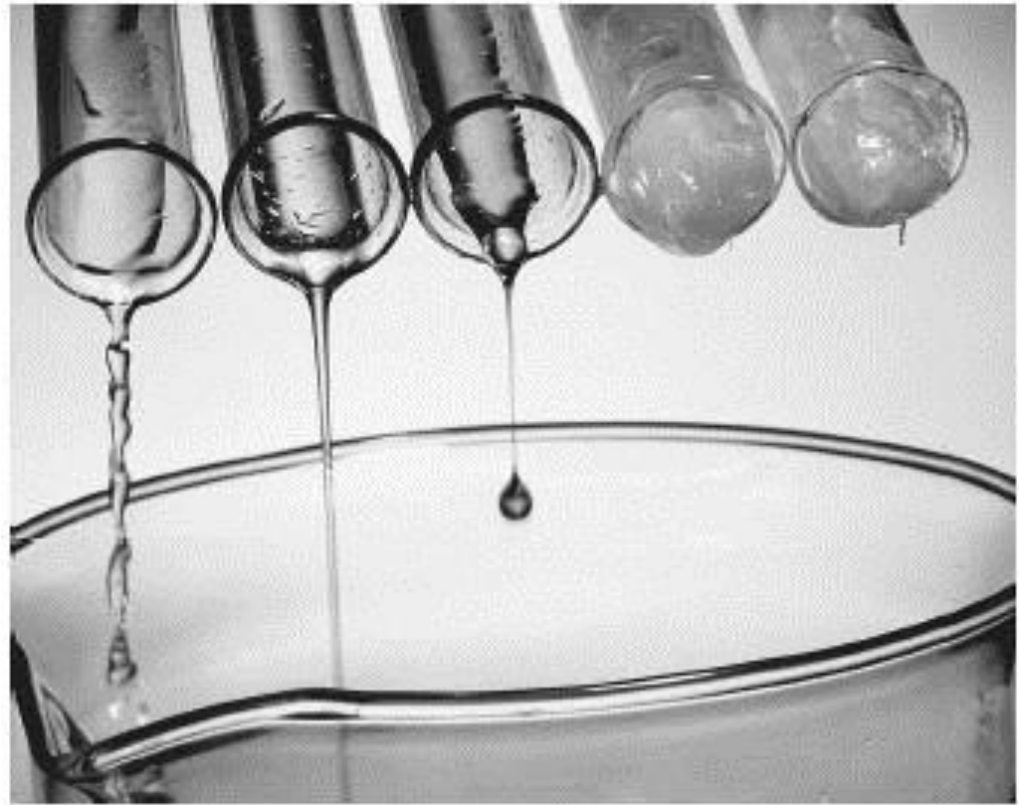
- The rise of liquids up very narrow tubes
- Contributed by two opposing forces
 - Adhesive forces—attractions between a liquid and its container
 - Cohesive forces—intermolecular forces in the liquid that try to decrease the liquid's surface area



Properties of Liquids

∞ Viscosity

- A measure of a liquid's resistance to flow
- Higher viscosity = larger intermolecular forces
- Decreases with temperature
 - More energy to overcome intermolecular forces



Solids

☞ Two types:

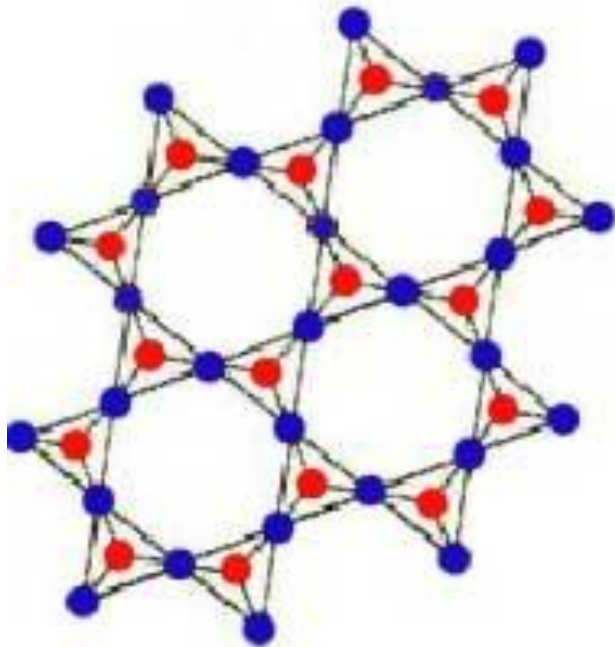
- Amorphous solid—those with considerable disorder in their structures
- Crystalline solid—those with a highly regular arrangement of their components

☞ Structure of crystalline solid

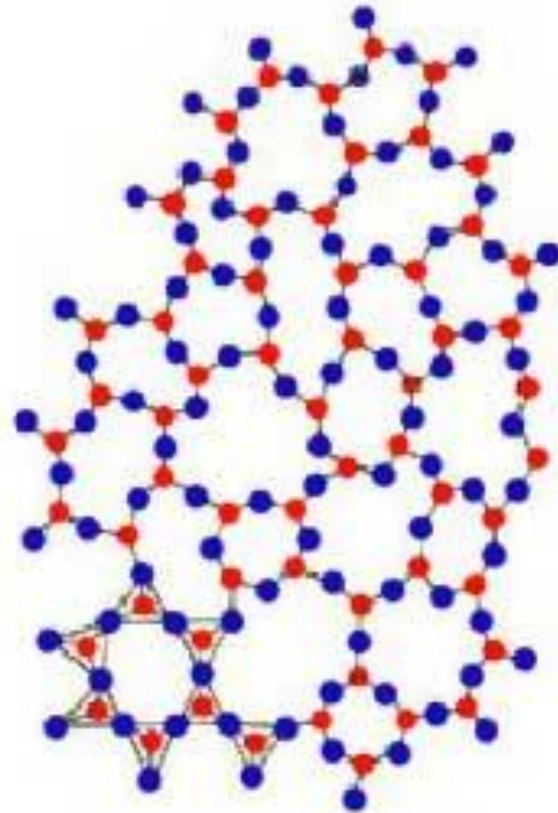
- Lattice—a three-dimensional system of points designating the positions of the components (atoms, ions, or molecules) that make up the substance
- Unit cell—the smallest repeating unit of a lattice

Crystalline versus Amorphous Solid

Crystalline SiO_2
(Quartz)



Amorphous SiO_2
(Glass)



● Si ● O

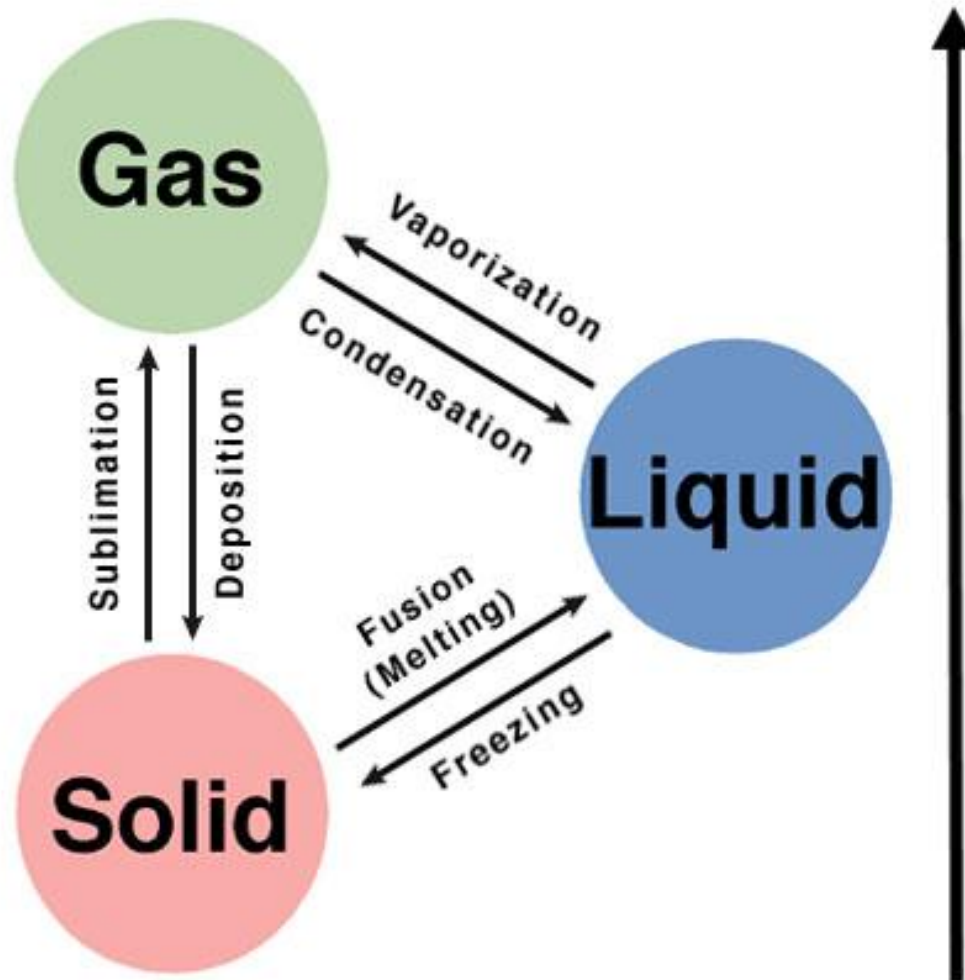
Types of Crystalline Solids

Property	Molecular	Ionic	Atomic	Metallic	Network Covalent
Example	$C_6H_{12}O_6$	NaCl	Ar	Cu	C (diamond)
Particles in lattice points	Molecule	Ions	Atoms	Atoms	Atoms
Bonds/Forces between lattice points	Dispersion forces	Ionic bond	Dispersion forces	Metallic bond	Covalent bond
Melting points	Low	High	Low	High (1083 °C)	Very High (3500 °C)
Electrical Conductivity	None	Yes (melted)	None	Yes (solid & melted)	None
Other Properties		Brittle		Malleable and Ductile	Insulator Very Hard

Phase Changes & Phase Diagram



Phase Changes



Phase Diagram

- ✧ Graphically summarize the phase transitions between the states of matter of a substance based on pressure and temperature conditions
- ✧ Key features:
 - Triple point—combination of temperature and pressure at which all three states of matter are in simultaneous equilibrium
 - Critical temperature—the temperature above which the vapor cannot be liquefied regardless of the pressure applied
 - Critical pressure—the pressure required to produce liquefaction at the critical temperature
 - Critical point—the point of the critical pressure and the critical temperature

Phase Diagram

